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Madras Survey and Land Records Department

* 191 *Q.*—SRI M. RAJAH IYER : Will the Hon. the Minister for Food be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether any memorandum was submitted by the Tamilnad Survey Officers' Union praying for the appointment of a Committee to go into the structure and service conditions of the Madras Survey and Land Records Department recently; and

(*b*) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The Government have decided that there was no case for appointment of a separate Committee.

SRI M. RAJAH IYER : Will the Government, Sir, at least favourably consider their request for better service conditions?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : This question is regularly looked into and reviewed. Whenever the Government think it necessary, they will not hesitate to do what is needed.

Agricultural Income-tax

* 192 *Q.*—SRI V. K. RAMASWAMY MUDALIAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Food be pleased to state—

(*a*) the total revenue by way of agricultural income-tax for the year 1964–65 and the estimated revenue for the year 1965-66; and

(*b*) the total establishment charges for the collection of the same for the year 1964–65 and the estimated expenditure in this regard for the year 1965–66?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : (*a*) The total revenue by way of agricultural income-tax for the year 1964-65 is Rs. 1,42,85,436–95 and the estimated revenue for the year 1965–66 is Rs. 1,18,00,000.

(*b*) The total establishment charges for the collection of the tax for the year 1964–65 is Rs. 14,56,248.79 and the estimated expenditure for the year 1965–66 is Rs. 14,25,000.

SRI V. K. RAMASWAMY MUDALIAR : Sir, in view of the proposed enhancement of the land revenue, is there any proposal before the Government to abolish this agricultural income-tax?

SRI K. BALASUBRAMANYA AYYAR : They will increase.